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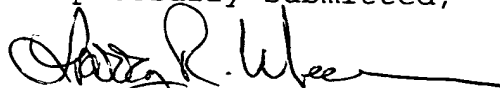
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### STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Application No./Patent No.: 09/742,715 Filed/Issue Date: December 20, 2000

Entitled: **MANUALLY REPLACEABLE PROTECTIVE WEAR SLEEVE**

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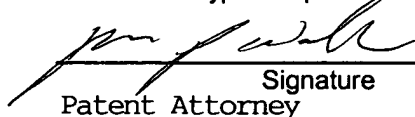
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the specification of which: *(complete (a), (b) or (c) for type of application)***REGULAR OR DESIGN APPLICATION**

- (a) ☒ is attached hereto.  
 (b) ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_.

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- (c) ☐ was described and claimed in International Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ and as amended on \_\_\_\_\_.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations. §1.56(a).

- ☒ In compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement. 37 CFR 1.97.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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